

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
SOUTHEASTERN DIVISION

QUINTA SANDERS	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	Case No. 1:18-cv-00269-ACL
v.	)	
	)	
Mississippi County, Missouri, et al.	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

**PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO WITHDRAW MOTION FOR SANCTIONS FOR  
SPOILIATION OF EVIDENCE, WITHOUT PREJUDICE**

Plaintiff Quinta Sanders respectfully moves to withdraw her motion for sanctions for spoliation of evidence, without prejudice, and states as follows.

1. On May 5, 2017, Plaintiff Quinta Sanders' son, Tory Sanders, was killed while on a protective hold in the Mississippi County, Missouri Detention Center ("MCDC").

2. Mr. Sanders was killed after an altercation with ten jailers and police officers, including the Mississippi County sheriff at that time, Cory Hutcheson, inside of Holding Room 120.

3. Based upon initial information suggesting that surveillance footage from video cameras inside the MCDC that would have recorded the incident appeared to have been tampered with and destroyed after the fact, Plaintiff moved for sanctions for spoliation of the evidence.

4. In the interim, Plaintiff also hired a forensic analyst to try and retrieve whatever data may remain on the digital video recorders (DVRs) that were supposed to store and preserve the surveillance footage from the video cameras.

5. On Friday, December 11, 2020, Plaintiff's forensic analyst downloaded the subject DVRs, and is in the process of performing the forensic analysis to see what accessible data, if any, remains on them.

6. Because the forensic analyst's work is ongoing and not yet complete, Plaintiff has agreed to withdraw her pending motion for sanctions for spoliation of evidence, without prejudice to her right to re-file the motion after the forensic analyst has completed this work.

Accordingly, Plaintiff Quinta Sanders respectfully moves to withdraw her pending motion for sanctions for spoliation of evidence, without prejudice to her right to re-file it upon completion of the ongoing forensic analysis. Plaintiff Sanders further moves for all other relief that the Court deems just and proper.

Respectfully submitted,  
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that on the 14th day of December 2020, the foregoing document was electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court. Additionally, a copy of said document was mailed electronically, the same date to:

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